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FOR TREASURY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EFIN , US, SF
SUBJECT: ROOSA BONDS INQUIRY FROM CHAMBER OF MINES

1. CHAMBER OF MINES TODAY REQUESTED DETAILS OF ROOSA BONDS,
QUOTING A RUMOR THAT AT MATURITY SUCH BONDS CAN BE EXCHANGED
FOR GOLD AND THUS POSSIBLY AFFECT GOLD PRICE.

2. COMOFF COULD RECALL ONLY THAT THESE BONDS CREATED SEVERAL
YEARS AGO BUT HE AND FILES LACK ANY FURTHER DETAILS. PLEASE
PROVDE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF ROOSA BONDS (MATURITIES, AMOUNTS
ETC.) ADVISE WHETHER THEY STILL EXIST AND VERIFY WHETHER THEY
CAN, AS RUMORED, BE EXCHANGED FOR GOLD AT MATURITY, FOR
TRANSMITTAL TO CHAMBER OF MINES.
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